

The Office of the Governor **Proclamation**

Executive Department State of Idaho State Capitol Boise

WHEREAS, an urgent need exists for furthering and expanding the public's understanding of free enterprise and the economic system under which our nation and our state have flourished; and

WHEREAS, the secondary school system of Idaho, represented by the Superintendent of Public Instruction; the higher education system of Idaho, represented by Boise State University, the University of Idaho and the business community of Idaho, represented by the Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry, have worked in spirited cooperation to improve public economic understanding; and

WHEREAS, some 250 high school students and 24 teachers will gain insight from two separate, one-week educational sessions during the month of July; and

WHEREAS, Idaho Business Week is an exemplary exercise of people working together to solve problems and gain understanding with great benefits for all people of Idaho and is an excellent learning experience for everyone involved;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim the weeks of July 11 through 16 and July 25 through 30, 2004, to be

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in Idaho, and encourage all Idahoans to be aware of the spirit of cooperation between business, education and the participants of Idaho Business Weeks as they apply their insights to their leadership roles of the future.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this eighteenth day of March in the year of our Lord two-thousand and four and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-eighth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred fourteenth.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE